



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : ATTN: BOX AF  
Kenji KAMIMURA et al. : Confirmation No. 6291  
Serial No. 09/787,121 : Docket No. 2001\_0076A  
Filed March 14, 2001 : Group Art Unit 3723  
POLISHING APPARATUS : Examiner R.A. ROSE

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

**RESPONSE UNDER 37. CFR 1.116  
ENTERED PROCEDURE  
DRAWING GROUP 3723**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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TO CHARGE ANY DEFICIENCY IN THE  
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ACCOUNT NO. 23-0975

Sir:

Responsive to the Final Office Action mailed October 21, 2003, the time for responding thereto being extended for two months in accordance with a Petition for Extension submitted herewith, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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